

Table I.C.3.c(1997) Percent of total premiums for any-provider plans contributed by employees enrolled in single coverage at private-sector establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 1997

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	15.1%	11.4%	9.3%	11.3%	13.9%	20.2%	10.7%	17.4%
Industry group								
Agric., fish., forest.	3.4% *						7.3% *	2.2% *
Mining	15.2%						11.7% *	18.9% *
Construction	11.7%						10.8%	13.5%
Manufacturing	12.5%						11.6%	12.6%
Transp., commu., util.	8.6%						5.9% *	9.3%
Wholesale trade	15.9%						9.7%	17.9%
Retail trade	29.1%						15.4%	38.4%
Fin., ins., real est.	16.5%						9.7% *	21.6%
Services	13.3%						9.9%	16.2%
Unknown	0.0%						0.0%	0.0%
These cell estimates have been suppressed because the size of their standard errors makes them extremely unreliable. Column or row estimates should be used in place of these estimates.								
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	16.1%						11.5%	18.3%
For profit, unincorporated	14.7%						15.0%	14.1%
Nonprofit	11.5%						4.1%	15.0%
Unknown	13.0%						7.4% *	15.5%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	15.8%						18.1%	10.6% *
5-9 years	10.5%						11.7%	8.7%
10-19 years	10.5%						8.8%	15.9%
20 or more years	13.3%						8.6%	15.8%
Unknown	20.2%						13.4%	20.5%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	17.7%						11.8%	18.2%
1 location only	11.9%						10.6%	14.6%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	27.8%						27.5% *	28.1%
25-49%	20.4%						18.3%	21.8%
50-74%	14.5%						10.3%	18.8%
75% or more	14.6%						9.7%	16.9%
Union presence								
No union employees	15.0%						10.9%	17.5%
Has union employees	15.7%						2.5% *	17.7%
Unknown	15.0%						13.5% *	15.8%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	23.7%						19.8%	28.0%
Less than 50% low wage	12.8%						10.0%	15.1%
Unknown	19.2%						12.1%	19.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1997 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

*Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

Table I.C.3.c(1997) Standard error for percent of total premiums for any-provider plans contributed by employees enrolled in single coverage at private-sector establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 1997

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	1.11%	1.19%	0.88%	1.14%	2.44%	2.09%	0.74%	1.28%
Industry group								
Agric., fish., forest.	5.31% *						5.06% *	4.57% *
Mining	4.47%						6.69% *	9.67% *
Construction	1.69%						2.96%	2.90%
Manufacturing	1.31%						2.98%	1.31%
Transp., commu., util.	1.15%						1.91% *	1.40%
Wholesale trade	3.35%						2.46%	3.82%
Retail trade	3.09%						2.86%	4.65%
Fin., ins., real est.	2.63%						3.25% *	2.83%
Services	1.74%						1.44%	1.83%
Unknown	0.00%						0.00%	0.00%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.89%						0.68%	1.07%
For profit, unincorporated	1.51%						2.17%	1.16%
Nonprofit	2.47%						1.06%	2.74%
Unknown	2.45%						7.77% *	1.76%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	3.75%						4.96%	4.22% *
5-9 years	1.65%						2.22%	1.94%
10-19 years	1.55%						1.51%	3.88%
20 or more years	1.87%						1.75%	2.13%
Unknown	1.54%						3.44%	1.56%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1.01%						2.28%	0.97%
1 location only	1.42%						0.78%	2.41%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	5.78%						8.97% *	4.33%
25-49%	1.87%						3.52%	4.27%
50-74%	1.63%						2.28%	1.96%
75% or more	1.24%						0.88%	1.50%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.98%						0.77%	1.09%
Has union employees	3.53%						2.36% *	3.67%
Unknown	3.49%						7.27% *	2.79%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	2.94%						3.54%	3.97%
Less than 50% low wage	1.49%						0.89%	2.11%
Unknown	2.05%						2.94%	2.25%

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